

Vermont Daily Transcript.

ST. ALBANS, VT.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1868.

Travelers' Guide.

ARRIVAL OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

From the South and East, 5:45 a. m., 11:15 a. m., 6:30 p. m., 10:30 p. m.
From Boston, 10:30 a. m., 7:20 a. m., 11:50 a. m., 6:30 p. m.
From Montreal, 11:45 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

For the South and East, 6:25 a. m., 12:00 m., 7:20 p. m.
For Boston, 6:05 a. m., 2:15 p. m.
For Montreal, 6:10 a. m., 6:55 p. m.

DAILY ARRIVAL OF STAGES AT ST. ALBANS.

From Southbury and Shelburne, 7:30 a. m.
From Richmond and Shelburne, 5:00 p. m.
From Shelburne, 10:00 a. m.
From Bakersfield, 11:00 a. m.

DAILY DEPARTURE OF STAGES FROM ST. ALBANS.

For Franklin and Southbury, 7:30 a. m.
For Shelburne and Richmond, 5:30 a. m.
For Shelburne, 2:00 p. m.
For Bakersfield, 1:00 p. m.
Stages call at the several hotels in town. Stage offices at the Tremont House.

CLOSING OF THE MAILS.

Mails for New York close at 5:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
Mails for Boston close at 5 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.
Mails for Albany and the West close at 5:00 a. m.
Mails for Canada close at 5:00 a. m.
Southern and Northern way mail close at 5:00 a. m.

Strangers' Guide.

THE Y. M. C. A. meets every Monday evening at their rooms over Wm. N. Smith's Store, Main Street.
Chapman Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., meets the third Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Union block, Main Street.
Columbus Council No. 1, R. A. M., meets the second Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Union block.
Franklin Lodge No. 4, F. & A. M., meets the first Wednesday evening in each month at their hall in Union block, Main Street.
Engleby Lodge No. 84 F. & A. M., meets the fourth Wednesday evening in each month, at their hall in Union block, Main Street.
Crystal Fountain, Temple of Honor No. 4 meets every Tuesday evening at their hall in Barnes block, Lake Street.
St. Albans Lodge No. 42, I. O. of G. T., meets every Friday evening at their hall in Barnes block, Lake Street.
Rising Sun Lodge No. 8, I. O. of G. T., meets every Saturday evening, at St. Albans Bay.
St. John the Baptist Benevolent Society (Catholics) meets on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month at their hall over E. H. Huntington's Store.

To Advertisers.—The VERMONT DAILY TRANSCRIPT has the largest circulation in St. Albans and in Franklin County, of any daily paper, and is on that account, the best medium for advertising.

Local Items.

OUR DAILY.—Those wishing to see the copies of our daily paper can do so at Merrifield's and Baker's bookstores, as well as of carriers, and at the office. Copies of our weekly paper may also be had at these places.

WASHINGTON ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.—The annual meeting of this Company was held at their Engine House on Tuesday evening. After the transaction of the usual preliminary business, the Company went into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of electing officers. The following officers were elected:—

A. G. Safford, Foreman.
E. L. Robinson, 1st Assistant.
W. H. H. Greene, 2nd "
Chas. B. Greene, Clerk.
Edgar N. Watson, Treasurer.
Geo. Bergher, } Investigating
Joseph Bean, } Committee.
W. Thompson, }

The utmost good feeling prevailed, it being understood that Messrs. Swift and Fuller, of the old board of officers, could not accept their respective offices on account of their business and other reasons. The re-election was not, as we understand, desired by them. The financial affairs of the Company are in a flourishing condition, and the Company has its full number, sixty, on its rolls.

RAILROAD MEETING AT HIGHGATE.—One of the largest town meetings ever convened in Highgate was held on Saturday, Dec. 26, 1868. The meeting was organized at 10:30 a. m., by electing Warren Robinson, Esq., Moderator. Mr. G. W. Newton, introduced a resolution to modify the conditions of a former vote of town, and to accept of the conditions of the new Enabling Act, and made a few remarks in support of the resolution, which was adopted by nearly a unanimous vote of the voters present. The vote was taken by acclamation, no objections being made. The meeting is described to us as being enthusiastic in favor of the Lamont River route, via Highgate.

O. E. Sheridan was elected Constable to fill out the term of the current year, in the place of James P. Place, elected High Sheriff.

PRICES REDUCED.—It will be seen, on reference to our advertisements, that the repairs soon to be made in the Welden House, compels Mrs. H. F. Buck to seek other quarters; and in consequence thereof she offers her stock of goods at greatly reduced prices.

IMPORTANT TAX QUESTION.—Both Senator Edmunds and Representative Poland, of this State, are busily engaged in studying up arguments to be delivered in the U. S. Supreme Court some time next month, as to the right of Vermont to tax the stock of the Ver-

mont and Canada Railroad, owned by citizens of other States. Mr. Edmunds appears for the Stockholders and Mr. Poland for the State.—*Burlington Times.*

The Bakersfield Races.

EDITOR OF THE TRANSCRIPT.—Permit me through your columns to ask a question of the sporting men of the vicinity. It appears that there was a race at Bakersfield last October of which we have had no public report, the cause of which is our query. It is always customary to give a public notice and report of such an occasion, when it is deemed worthy. I should judge from the amount of purses and the gathering that it called together, it was a race worthy of publication. I believe that the celebrated Lady Hall was there and run, also Brown Major, Gen. Lee and Flyaway were entered.

How the race was decided, or which horse displayed the greatest speed I have not yet seen in print. There seems to be some personal interest at stake why the report is suppressed.

INQUIRY.

DEPUTY SHERIFFS.—William M. Field, Sheriff of Rutland county, has made the following appointments of Deputy Sheriffs:

Levi Briggs, Rutland.
C. A. Hitchcock, Pittsford.
Allen Sanderson, Shrewsbury.
M. H. Dickerman, East Wallingford.
Luther P. Howe, Mt. Tabor.
Fayette Blakely, Pawlet.
Wayne Lincoln, Brandon.
Messrs. Caswell, Castleton.
Asahel Smith, Pottersville.

MR. E. D. GOODWIN, of Milton, has sold his farm, stock, tools, hay and grain, to Mr. Sibley, for \$6,500. Mr. Sibley takes possession immediately.

ANOTHER SPRING.—Westmore can boast of a lately discovered mineral spring, on land owned by Mr. Powers, near E. J. Bruce's, on the east side of the lake.

GOLDEN WEDDING.—Hon. Isaac Parker and his wife (Arabella Cobb) celebrated their golden wedding on Thursday of last week. All the children but one, who lives in Chicago, were present; eight of the nine grandchildren were also present, besides many invited guests. Appropriate golden gifts and others of silver were presented, one of the most noticeable of which was a large pin, in which the hair of the parents was surrounded in concentric circles by the hair of all their living children.

SLANDER SUIT DECIDED.—The *Barton Standard* said that the case of John Tripp vs. C. B. Leland, where the former sued the latter for slander, and which has been in Ogdensburg county court two years, was finally decided at Barton Landing on the 19th of December by referees. It appears that Leland had accused Tripp of theft, when Tripp sued for slander, damages laid at \$1000. After being run through the legal mill the time above stated, it was thought advisable to have it left to three disinterested persons, who proceeded to investigate the case and report that the words uttered by Leland were false, malicious and slanderous, and they gave the plaintiff \$1 with which to repair his wounded spirit.

REBUILDING.—Mr. Isaiah Dow is rebuilding the wooden mill which was burned at Hinesburgh last March, and will begin to operate in it by the first of June next.

CHRISTMAS EVE IN MONTPELIER.—Christmas eve was celebrated in all the churches in Montpelier, each Sunday School having a Christmas tree.

DIVIDEND.—The Middlebury National Bank has declared a dividend of five per cent., free of Government tax, payable after the 1st of January.

BARLEY.—Mr. J. P. Douglas, of Middlebury, forwarded to Market 500 bushels of barley on Monday, the first ever sent from that town.

PLENTY OF WATER.—The Vergennes water works are now in active and successful operation. Only a small amount of the capacity of the pumps has been brought into use, yet sufficient water is forced from the creek to supply abundantly all the dwellings, &c., where it is used.

RE-DEDICATION.—The Baptist church at Essex, which has undergone thorough repairs, is to be re-dedicated on the 13th of January next. The sermon on the occasion is to be preached by Rev. M. A. Wilcox of Burlington.

A GREAT SUCCESS.—The concert given by Parepa-Rose at Rutland last evening, the dedication night of the new opera house in that place, was a very successful affair. The performance was attended by one thousand persons.

ACCIDENT.—W. H. Meekin, a section hand on the Rutland Railroad between Middlebury and Brooksville, was severely injured on Tuesday evening, by a hand-car which he was drawing with

a strap. He was running quite briskly, when his foot slipped and he fell before it. It struck him, rolled him over and over until his force was spent and it stopped. No bones were broken, but there were severe external bruises and internal injuries, which renders his case a critical one.

MARRIED.

In St. Albans, Dec. 29, 1868, by the Rev. A. J. Samson, Mr. Richard Scott, of Fardham, P. S., to Miss Bathia E. Danforth, of Fardham.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

In consequence of a removal of my place of business which will be necessitated by the removal of the trade to the Welden House, I desire to dispose of or greatly reduce my stock and I commence by a

Great Reduction of Prices.

A large variety of diamonds and all other goods in my line will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

St. Albans, Dec. 29. Mrs. H. P. Buck.
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Academy Hall.

Saturday evening, January 2nd, 1869.

WHITMORE & CLARK'S MINSTRELS!

BY PARTICULAR REQUEST,

Will give another entertainment in St. Albans on their return from Canada on Saturday, Jan. 2nd, introducing a New and Original Programme. This will be their last entertainment for the season in this place, as the troupe is bound for the East. Programmes will be distributed throughout the town three days in advance of the time, giving full particulars.

J. F. STILES, Agent.

190-d, 1v

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

NOW READY AT

HUNTINGTON'S.

Merrifield's Bookstore.

IS OPEN, and will continue to run as usual. With this exception that the prices will be very much reduced, as I am anxious to close the stock as soon as possible.

G. W. MERRIFIELD.

St. Albans, Dec. 21, 1868.

St. Albans Dining Rooms,

LAKE ST. ST. ALBANS,

DOWNING & STEERE

PROPRIETORS

WARM MEALS or Lunches served at all

Fresh Baltimore Oysters.

Received daily and supplied to the Trade at wholesale prices. 1905-dw2w

NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned have this day formed a partnership in the stove and tin ware business, and will carry on the same in all its branches at the old stand, corner of Main and Congress Streets, occupied by W. K. Nash. All bills contracted before this day will be settled by Mr. Nash, and all bills due to him should be paid at once.

NASH & BROWN.

W. K. Nash,
N. Brown,
St. Albans, Dec. 25th, 1868. 293-d, 1m

Come and See!!

Come and Try

THE HOWE, AND THE WOOD

New Family Sewing Machines!

Best Machines made.

Shuttle, Straight Needle,

Every machine warranted.

Office opposite Tremont House.

de-1f J. S. WEERS, Agent.

LIBERATION NOTICE.

THIS is to certify that I have this day given my son Albert Bigness, his time during the remainder of his minority, and shall hereafter claim none of his earnings, nor pay any debts of his contracting.

LEON BIGNESS, dan^r

St. Albans, Dec. 22, 1868.

ADOPTION.

To all persons whom it may concern,

Know Ye, That we the undersigned John Martin and Clara A. Martin of Enosburgh in the County of Franklin have adopted Orsilia May Jennie as our child and heir-at-law. And that her name is hereafter to be known and called Orsilia May Martin.

JOHN MARTIN,
CLARA A. MARTIN.

248-3 Enosburgh, November 25th, A. D. 1868.

HATS, HATS, HATS,

CAPS, CAPS, CAPS

All the Styles just received at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

OVERCOATS of all kinds

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

SHIRTS and Drawers of all kinds now opening

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

BOYS HATS. BOYS CAPS.

Of all kinds, just received at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

BLACK Pants and Vests of all kinds just received

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

NEW Style of Fall and Winter Caps just received

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

DONATION.

THIRTY will be a DONATION for the benefit of the Rev. H. K. Cobb, at the Vestry of the M. E. Church, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 31, 1868, and other refreshments from 6 to 10 o'clock p. m. Tickets, \$1.00. The public are cordially invited to be present on that evening.

THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION

OF THE

Northern Vermont Musical Association.

WILL BE HELD AT

Academy Hall, St. Albans

Continuing FOUR DAYS, Jan. 5, 6, 7 & 8.

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

Will be given.

CONDUCTORS:

Geo. F. Root, Chicago, Ill.

C. M. Wyman, Keene, N. H.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

THE legal voters of the village of St. Albans are hereby notified to meet at the Court Room on Wednesday, the 6th of January next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing the officers required in the Act incorporating said village, and to vote whether the Corporation will vote to raise and appropriate money to pay the present indebtedness of the village, and to make further appropriations for the construction and repair of sidewalks and highways within the village limits, and also to act on the adoption of any by-laws or amendments of those already adopted, which may be presented for consideration, and to transact any other business thought proper when met.

A. J. SAMSON,
Clerk of Corporation.

St. Albans Village, Dec. 21st, 1868. 186-df

Ladies.

If you require a desirable remedy, use the best

DR. HARVEY'S FEMALE PILLS,

four degrees stronger than they are intended for special cases.

PRICE, ONE DOLLAR PER BOX.

Private circulars sent free. Enclose stamp. If you cannot procure the pills enclose the money and address BRYAN & CO., 61 CEDAR STREET, NEW YORK, and on receipt they will be sent well sealed by return mail.

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Ogdensburg to the West.

Northern Transportation Company

The only Through Daily Line between

Ogdensburg and Chicago!!

and Intermediate Ports.

Only Six Days Through Without Change of Boat.

This well known and reliable Company, will during the present season run their Line of first class Upper Cabin Steamers daily, between Ogdensburg, Oswego, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee, and Intermediate ports, leaving Ogdensburg on arrival of Express train from the East.

PASSENGERS AND FAMILIES

Moving West, embark with their luggage, Trunks, Stock, &c., and land together without disturbance or transshipment, at their point of destination, thus avoiding the great inconvenience of the many changes, delays and expenses of other routes. These Steamers have large Cabins and State Rooms, amply and neatly furnished, for first class Passengers and Families, who may wish to furnish their own provisions. No efforts will be spared to maintain the reputation of this line as the

CHEAPEST AND BEST ROUTE!

A thorough rebuilding, refitting, repairing and refurnishing, with several new boats added to the line, makes this now the most comfortable, pleasant and expeditious route to the great West. Be sure and see the Agents of this line before you buy your tickets. Travelers must always meet passengers at the depot in Ogdensburg to take checks and re-check baggage. Ask for tickets via

NORTHERN TRANSPORTATION CO'S STEAMERS!

The only Daily American Line leaving Ogdensburg.

We will make it the interest of every traveler to see the Agents of the line before purchasing elsewhere. Through tickets over all the Western Railroad Lines can be obtained on application to GEO. W. SMITH, office, corner Ford and Patterson Sts., opposite Johnson House, Ogdensburg, N. Y. One hundred pounds of baggage free to each passenger.

BAGGAGE CHECKED THROUGH

To all points. For through tickets and other information, apply to G. A. EDDY, Office Steamship Landing, Ogdensburg, N. Y. Geo. W. Smith, General Ticket Agent, H. G. Goodno, Passenger Agent. 212-df

WANTED. An Agent to make a thorough canvass of Franklin County in behalf of that old and reliable Life Insurance Company,

The Phoenix Mutual, of Hartford

Conn. Liberal terms to an active, energetic man. Address, N. G. AXTELL, General Agent for Northern New York and Vermont. 207-df

PAPER COLLARS and CUFFS of all kinds

at Wm. N. SMITH & CO'S

CLOTHING, CLOTHING, CLOTHING

The largest Stock of Clothing, Hats and Caps and Furnishing Goods ever offered for sale in Vermont, is now opened at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

SHORT FROCKS of all kinds, just received

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

YOUTH'S CLOTHING of all kinds cheap

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

GLOVES of all kinds just received

at WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

CARDIGAN JACKET, All the New Styles just received

at Wm. N. SMITH & CO'S.

GOWN, WM. N. SMITH & CO'S for your pants

and vest.

CALL and see the best Stock of Clothing,

Hats and Caps and Furnishing Goods in the State, at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

The best stock of Clothing in the State just received at

WM. N. SMITH & CO'S.

NOTICE.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the ST. ALBANS GAS LIGHT CO. are hereby notified to meet at the Office of the Hon. W. C. Smith, in St. Albans, on the first Monday in January next, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing five Directors.

184-10 St. Albans, Dec. 18, 1868.

EDWARD A. SMITH, Treasurer.

NOTICE.

TO FARMERS AND OTHERS. The subscribers, having purchased and fitted up in good order, the Woolen Mill at Swanton Falls, formerly known as Platt's Factory, are now prepared to manufacture Cloths or Yarn for customers, or exchange the same for wool. A liberal share of patronage solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed.

N. B.—Office in south end of Factory, where may be found the books and accounts of the late firm of Platt & Hinkley.

SEIGS & HINKLEY.

LOST.

BETWEEN Fulton Market, St. Albans, and the Fair Ground, of old, a dark colored morocco wallet, containing \$151, and a receipt from Severance & Co., Boston, to E. C. Galloway. The finder will receive a reward of \$50 on returning the wallet to

St. Albans. 18th Sept., 1868.

E. C. GALLOWAY.

HOLIDAYS

On Lake Street.

At GREENE & NICHOLS'S

DRUG STORE

May be found a full assortment of Drugs, and Fancy Goods and Toilet Articles consisting of

Brushes, Combs, a good assortment of Toilet Articles, and Druggists' Handkerchiefs, Extracts, Cologne, Pomades, Conditioners, &c., &c. Hair Oil, Lotion, White, Toilet Soap of all kinds, Tooth and Nail Brushes, and, in fact,

ANYTHING

IN OUR LINE OF GOODS.

GREENE & NICHOLS,

NO. 1 LAKE STREET, ST. ALBANS, VT.

Also, a full assortment of imported and domestic

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Lake Street Drug Store.

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Bryan's Life Invigorator.

OR REVIVIFYING ELIXIR.

For all derangements of the Urinary organs. It gives

LIFE, HEALTH, AND STRENGTH.

to all who